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Church Directory.

BAPTIST.

Services on first Saturday afternoon, and Sunday following; Rev. G. W. McIntosh, pastor pro tem. Powell's Valley Second Saturday and Sunday; Rev. J. Parsons, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Services on the third Saturday night and Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; Rev. S. M. Carrier, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.

Services at Kimbrell's Chapel on the first Sunday; Rev. Thos. Stinnett, pastor.

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Services at Hardwick's creek on the third Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; Rev. E. Frank Wright, pastor pro tem. Log Lick—Services on Second Sunday; Rev. E. W. Marenn, pastor.

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Services at Log Lick on the first Saturday, and Sunday following; Eld. W. W. Caudill, pastor.

Estill Court Directory.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge - D. B. Redwine
Circuit Court's Att'y A. H. Howard
Clerk - James A. Wallace
Deputy Clerk Vernon L. Vaughn
Commissioner - John D. Winn
Circuit Court is held on the fourth Monday in March, June and November.

COUNTY COURT.

Judge - W. H. Lilly
Clerk - Vernon L. Vaughn
County Attorney Grant E. Lilly
Deputy Clerk James A. Wallace
Steniff - James F. West
Jailer - J. H. Powell
Coroner - A. Underwood
Superintendent of schools C. Marum
County court is held on the third Monday of each month.

Quarterly terms of the county court are held the second Mondays in February, May, August and November.

County court of claims meet in April and October.

LOCAL MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

Justice - David N. Witt.
Constable - J. J. McIntosh
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There have been forty lynchings in the United States in the past five months.

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The New York World alleges that a Kentucky woman brought suit recently against a railroad for killing her horse and husband. She got \$150 for the horse and one cent for the husband.

In a small town in South Dakota the three saloons are owned controlled and personally managed by the Mayor, Marshal and Clerk respectively, and citizens not holding office are not encouraged to enter this branch of trade.

A Chicago clergyman who recently called upon a young widow to condole with her upon the loss of her husband placed considerable emphasis upon the proposition that the separation was merely temporal and painted in vivid colors the happiness of friends reunited after death. When he stopped for breath the sorrowing one heaved a deep sigh and quietly remarked: "Well, I suppose his first wife has got him again then."

New Railroad.

A special from Lexington says: Work will soon begin on the Ohio & Kentucky railroad, which will take up the terminus of the L. & E. road at Jackson and push on the great coal fields of Eastern Kentucky.

The road is to be projected by New York capital, and the L. & E. has a contract to operate it when it shall have been completed. The road will cover a distance of twenty-seven miles. The terminus of the new road will be Cuney Creek, Morgan county, and will tap the rich coal fields of Morgan and Wolf counties. These are the two richest coal counties in Kentucky. A very fine quality of coking coal abounds in these two counties. American Coal Company of New York, William De L. Walbridge as president, is thought to be behind the scheme to push the L. & E. extension into the Morgan county coal field. The road will be known as the Ohio & Kentucky.

Value of Burdock.

American farmers are wont to look upon burdock as a useless weed and a general nuisance but it appears that the Japanese regard it as a valuable food, boiling the tender shoots with beans, using the roots for soup and the young leaves for greens. The annual value of the burdock crop to Japan is \$400,000. Here is a pointer for the American farmer.—Forest and Stream.

Experience

Teaches us much

The wise and prudent man profiteth by the experience of others. We have but one way to judge the future and that is by the past, and we should profit by our mistakes, and be guided by the lamp of experience. Experience teaches all that quick cash sales and small profits is the modern way of conducting a successful business. I do business in this way, which makes it to the buyers interest to see me when needing any thing in General Merchandise.

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SPOUTSPRING, KY.

SATURDAY, JULY 3, 1897.

LOCAL BREVITES.

Clay City has a picnic today.

Clay Potts, of Irvine, was in town Tuesday.

Box of 1,000 Pine matches 5 cents at Burgher's.

G. W. Clark, of Vaughn's Mill, was in town yesterday.

There will be a Sunday School picnic at Pilot Knob Sunday.

J. E. Burgher, Sr. attended court at Winchester Monday.

Arbuckle's coffee 15 cents per pound at J. E. Burgher, Jr.'s.

Geo. Gravett was calling on lady friends on Hardwick's creek Sunday.

A. Alexander, a Louisville clothing drummer, was with us Thursday.

Clark county will vote on free turnpikes and to issue bonds to pay for them.

Old newspapers for sale at this office at twenty-five cents per hundred.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wright are visiting relatives in Madison county, near Richmond.

Farmers have begun laying by corn. Some just got done planting two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Barnett visited Mrs. Barnett's father, B. S. Burgher, Sr. Sunday.

The present crop of blackberries which is now ripe is larger than was ever known.

Dr. H. W. Winburn reports a girl born to the wife of Simpson Clem, Friday, July 2nd.

Misses Texa and Nora Todd visited the family of Jeff Wright on Hardwick's Creek Sunday.

The Louisville Weekly Commercial and the Spoutspring Times both one year 75 cents.

F. P. Tracy, candidate for Superintendent of schools of Powell county before the Democratic primary, was in town Tuesday.

Misses Esa and Mima McKinney and Messrs Willmott and Benny McKinney were visiting friends at College Hill Saturday and Sunday.

Morris Larison, Esq., of the Sams neighborhood, was in town yesterday on business.

The Board of Directors of the Clay City National Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent.

Circuit Court convened at Irvine Monday. Judge Redwine presiding. The docket was not as heavy as usual. There are two murder and manslaughter cases to be tried this court.

The Democrat Committee met at Irvine Monday and endorsed Squire D. N. Witt for County Judge. This addition to the ticket will add to it great strength and make defeat of the party a thing of the past.

Will Hockenheimer, who was sentenced five years ago to the penitentiary by the Powell Circuit court for fifteen years for killing — Phillips, has been pardoned by acting Governor Worthington.

Mr. and Mrs. Post Hoskin, of Slater, Mo., who are visiting a number of relatives and friends in Estill and Powell counties, were guests of Mr. Hoskin's sister, Mrs. Grant Elkin, two days this week.

Squire D. N. Witt, the next County Judge of Estill county, was shaking hands with his numerous friends in town yesterday. Since the Democratic committee endorsed Mr. Witt, there is no doubt of his election; the question now is how large his majority will be. The same question is applicable to the whole Democratic ticket in the county.

Democratic and Republican senators have agreed to let the tariff come to a vote next Saturday afternoon.

A New Albany man got up a bogus excursion up the river, and sold a large number of tickets to the people. The excursion was to take place some time this week, but the promoter of the scheme fled with the cash.

The Democratic nominees of Bath county have endorsed free turnpikes.

When P. F. Manning, of Caldwell, was asked if he knew any reason why sentence should not be passed upon him for beating his wife he glowered at the Judge and said: "Things is coming to a head of a pass when a man can't lick his woman in this jaybird of a country." Then he passed into jail for twelve months.

At a reunion of the Swango family near Hazel Green there was a remarkable gathering of old people. The ages of eight brothers and sisters aggregate 630 years.

The Spoutspring Times is the only paper published in Estill county. Only 50 cts. a year.

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Winchester Court.

About 175 cattle on the market none of first-class quality, several lots of heifers, 500 to 700 lbs., brought 2 1/2 cents; old thin, oxen, 2 cts.; 450 sheep on the market, 150 bought by Solomon Vanmeter at \$2.40 per hundred; several lots of hogs at 3 cts. Prices seemed a little off, but sellers held up prices fairly well and would make but few concessions.—Democrat.

Stabbed his Assailant.

A report from Irvine says that John Park, the 17-year old son of ex-county Judge W. W. Park, while returning home from Irvine one night last week, was stopped by a highwayman who demanded his money. Young Park pretended to comply, but instead of his pocket-book drew his knife and stabbed his unknown assailant, who fell with the exclamation, "You have killed." A pool of blood was found on the spot the next morning, but the would be robber had escaped. The affair is shrouded in mystery.—Richmond Register.

Editors, as rule, are kind-hearted and liberal, says the Elkton Times. An exchange tells of a subscriber to a certain paper who died and left fourteen years' subscription unpaid. The editor appeared at the grave as the lid was being screwed down for the last time and put in a duster, a thermometer, a palm leaf fan and a recipe for making ice.

Twenty horsemen went on a raid in Madison county and burned six bridges.

A petition is being circulated at Richmond asking for the pardon of William Todd, who it will be remembered, was sent to the penitentiary for the assassination of his brother, Madison Todd. A negro named Hatton was also implicated, and he, too, is serving a life sentence. Todd's youngest sister, Miss Maggie, is circulating the petition, which is receiving many signatures.

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For Commonwealth's Attorney,
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of Wolf county.

For County Judge, _____
For County Att'y, Hugh Riddell.
For County Clerk, W. H. Wiseman.
For Circuit Clerk, Thos. Williams.
For Sheriff, S. P. Richardson.
For School Supt., J. A. Cox.
For Jailer, A. G. Powell.
For Assessor, _____
For Surveyor, _____
For Coroner, _____

The Court of Appeals has adjourned for its summer vacation.

Montgomery county will vote on free pikes at the next November election.

It is said that Senator Deboe has received by actual count 1,447 applications for two or three minor positions at his disposal at the capital.

The farmer in free silver Mexico gets 50 cents a pound for good butter, while in the United States they are getting 10 cents a pound under the gold standard.

It is said that the Hunter faction of the Republican party will control the state convention, and that the administration of Gov. Wm. O. Bradley will not be endorsed.

The Republican and Boltoerat papers are taking great pains in telling their readers that tobacco is going up, wheat is up, cotton is up, etc. Any farmer who has good eyesight and looks out over his fields can tell you that.

It is said that Senator Lindsay, who saw the silver wave sweeping over Kentucky, is laying the wires to succeed himself in the United States Senate. He will endeavor to secure the election of enough boltoerats this fall to the senate and in both houses two years hence to hold the balance of power and fuse with the Republicans.

CORRESPONDENCE.

VAUGHN'S MILL.

Several of young people went to Natural Bridge Sunday.

Miss Lula Wallace, of Irvine, and Misses Lucy Hisle and Mollie Norris, of near Richmond, are visiting relatives here.

Miss Luana McKinney has been employed to teach the school at this place; Miss Ida Hockenheimer at Little Creek; Miss Nettie Shimmessel the Vaughn school and George Vaughn at Furnace.

COLLEGE HILL.

Messrs G. W. Ginter and Henry Kelley have applied for a patent on a bicycle pump.

Mrs. Nannie Wickersham, of Indianapolis, Ind., is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Demaree, this week.

The Old Maid entertainment at the M. E. Church last Sunday night was well attended. The collection taken netted \$5.16.

Mr. Wm. Mellon fell from his hammock Tuesday afternoon and received injuries, from which he has not yet recovered.

Mr. A. H. Williams, our clever merchant and druggist, has been appointed Postmaster at the College Hill post-office. Mr. Williams is an honest and polite gentleman, and will make a good Postmaster.

Prof. J. H. Wilson donned his Sunday face Monday and started for Lexington to visit his best girl and to attend the Chautauqua. We wish him success in his matrimonial pursuit, also a pleasant time at the Chautauqua.

IRON MOUND.

Miss Mabel Easter has been employed to teach the school at the Bonny school house.

The farmers are busy in their crops. Corn and oats are looking very well considering the past cool, dry weather.

There is preaching at Liberty every second Saturday and Sunday, Rev. Wm. Rupard, pastor; Corinth every fourth Saturday and Sunday, Rev. Albert Easter, pastor.

On Thursday, June 24th, some unknown thief or thieves visited the residences of uncles Jack Stephens and Frank Williams and stole from uncle Jack 2 bushels of corn, 16 young turkeys, 3 turkey hens, 1 gobbler and 1 dozen chicken hens; From uncle Frank one pair of trace chains, collar pad, blind bridle, back band, 20 young turkeys, turkey bell, 4 sides and 3 hams of meat, 3 or 4 bushels of onions, 2 roosters and a dozen chicken hen. There has no one been caught until yet, and probably never will be. This is a circumstance where a vigilance committee would come in very nicely in order to rid the country of such characters. Your correspondent does not believe in, or hold to mob law, but

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where there is nothing but circumstantial evidence, and under all probability the thieves would go free, he thinks a few good floggings and a few notices would soon rid the country of all such.

"IRON MOUND DEVIL."

Clay City claims a population of eight or nine hundred.

M. Kahn, of Winchester, shipped Monday direct to England 340 head of Bourbon cattle weighing about 1,500 pounds.

The Bluegrass Blade has suspended publication for want of patronage.

Marion Sebastian was killed on the street at Lancaster by his brother-in-law, his brother-in-law's father and an unknown man.

Despite many obstacles the county of Madison is to have a fine fair this year. The dates are July 27, 28, 29, 30, and the amphitheatre will be thronged with people as never before in years.

There have been four murders in the city of Louisville during the past week, and during the past three months there have been twenty. Four or five of the murders are even now as much of a mystery as they were when they were committed, and it will probably never known by whom the deeds were done.—Dispatch.

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An Indianapolis man died of heart trouble caused by excitement at a base-ball game.

The Meade Messenger says reports of a wonderful strawberry yield will beat the two farmers, one of whom realized \$7.00 on seven acres of berries, and another \$390 on two acres of fruit. When it is remembered that the strawberry crop requires but two or three weeks' time per year to make and market the crop, it will be seen that the strawberries are a wonderfully profitable fruit to handle.

Miss Ada Stewart, a popular young lady in West Virginia, shot and killed herself in her sweetheart's office. The couple were engaged to be married but had recently quarrelled, which was the cause of her rash act.

The present population of the Hawaiian islands is estimated at 105,000, comprising 10,000 English-speaking whites, 15,000 white Portuguese, 30,000 Hawaiians, 10,000 half whites, 15,000 Chinese and 25,000 Japanese.

In 1896 there were 10,652 murders committed in the United States, but there were only 122 legal executions. Only one murderer in 87 paid the penalty for his crime. The public took vengeance into its own hand and lynched in the same year 161 persons.

The Augusta Chronicle says it has become the latest fad for the young gentlemen to be trustees of the country schools. For instance, a young fellow has a maiden with whom he connects his future destiny, and the young fellow endeavors to make himself solid by becoming a member of the school board and using his best efforts to get his school the school. What a change will have come over the spirit of the times when the school trustee will be the young gallant at whose shrine the pretty school marm pays homage.

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Local Markets.

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| Spoutspring, Ky., July 3. | |
| The following are prices paid by produce dealers of this place: | |
| Apples | 2 |
| Beef hides | 4 |
| Beeswax | 18 |
| Chico | 50 |
| Ducks | 6 |
| Eggs | 4@5 |
| Feathers | 30 |
| Ginseng | \$2.00 |
| Hens | 4 |
| Roosters | 2 |
| Spring chickens | 8 |

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KENTUCKY NEWSLETS

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Short, Readable Items of Interest to All.

The attendance from Kentucky at the Nashville exposition is increasing.

Wood Allen shot and killed Lit Nichols, his brother-in-law, near Providence.

Suit has been filed in Martin county to oust a county school superintendent from office.

Cholera is playing havoc with hogs and chickens in the Newby locality in Madison county.

The Sparks block at Nicholasville was burned Friday of last week. Loss, \$30,000; insured for \$25,000.

The old settlers of Mason, Fleming and Nicholas counties will hold their annual reunion at Ruggle's camp ground July 3d.

Moses Hobby, colored, of Princeton, was arrested and jailed without bail on the charge of murder of another negro committed forty-five years ago.

John Carley, a well known Louisville drummer, was shot and killed at Corbin last week by Dan Curry, who claims that Carley insulted his wife.

Wm. Herndon, who is charged with the brutal murder of his wife in Whitley county, was arrested in Wisconsin. Kentucky officers have gone for him.

The county claims allowed by the Fiscal Court, of Madison county, at its October and May terms, amount to \$36,768, an increase of \$8,175.83 over last year's appropriation.

Manager Scott, of Lexington Chautauqua, has offered a gold medal for a competition drill participated in by four men from each company of the Kentucky State Guard in the Bluegrass.

Frank Gregson, an employee of the cotton mills at Maysville, became desperate over family troubles and walked in front of a C. & O. train and was killed.

C. I. Canfield, clerk of the Ed-dyville prison, has brought suit against the Bradley administration to retain the office from which an attempt was made to oust him to make a vacancy for another man.

The shelter for friendless and animals under direction of Mrs. Grace Divide, of New York, has been completed at Lexington. A unique sign was stretched over the gate bearing the words: "we speak for those who cannot speak for themselves." Pictures of dogs, cats and horses adorn the sign.

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The effort of certain papers to lay the blame of roll-gate raiding on Democrats and the Chicago platform is silly. We have it from a reliable source that all the riders in Bath county, who have been positively identified, are Republicans. But that cuts no figure. We do not charge this lawlessness as the result of Republicanism and the St. Louis platform, but it is a point that should be considered by the papers which have been laying the blame to the Democratic party.—Sentinel Democrat.

Careful estimates show that nearly one-half cent a pound profit is given to the trust on every pound of sugar refined—a profit which means tens of millions of dollars. Such a duty assures for it as great a power over the consumer as it now enjoys over the producer, and no single duty in the senate measure requires a fuller explanation of the motives leading to it.—Harpers Weekly.

The ex-Confederate reunion at Nashville caused the exposition attendance to reach the high-water mark. It will probably never be so large again any one day.

A primary election will be held at the various voting places of Richmond July 15th to select Democratic candidates for Mayor, City Judge, City Attorney and Councilmen.

A Mississippi hermit, who lives in the hollow of a tree, predicts that the world will come to an end with McKinley's administration. The Negroes are anxious to know if they can prevent it by voting the Democratic ticket.

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